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Dear Sir:

Please accept our apologies for this late response to your letter of April 13, 1970.

As Special Agent in Charge Vernon Sorrels testified before the Warren Commission, he returned to Dealey Plaza from the hospital approximately twenty minutes after the tragedy. There were no Secret Service agents on foot in the Dealey Plaza area or behind the Texas School Book Depository and parking lot next to it at the time of the shooting or "immediately" thereafter.

Very truly yours,

Thomas J. Kelley

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